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relaying in arms licenses

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FILE HEADING.

Instructions regarding the inclusion of reliance in arms licenses.

From

The 7th A. Resident.

No. 6733 Dated 8.11.11 Received 9.11.11

Diary No. 7259	Enclos. 2	Spare Copies. 1	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards for information a copy of Govt of India letter giving cover to certain correspondence regarding the above subject.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

1. The instructions of the Govt of India as regards inclusion of reliances in arms licenses granted in forms XVI & XIX under the Indian Arms Rules are contained in the Resolution of the Govt of

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Bengal. The forms referred to above correspond to forms IV & V (Possession and acquisition for purposes of sport, protection or display & to go armed on a journey) under the Mysore Arms Rules. The forms under the Indian Arms Rules contain columns requiring particulars as regards the petitioners' names, their addresses, their fathers' names &c. None of the Mysore forms are satisfied if only the no of petitioners is given. Rule 3 contained in the Bengal Govt. Resolution is not therefore applicable to the Mysore forms. It is a matter for consideration whether it is necessary to convey instructions to our Dt. Supdts on the lines of the other rules (with suitable modifications). [illegible]

B.7. 6.12.11. — Submit for orders with copies of the Indian & the Mysore Arms Rules.

S.V.(II.) 5/12 — Rule 28 of our rules does not require that the name or names of the petitioners should be entered in the licence.

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There seems to be therefore no occasion for taking any action now. Papers may be filed

13/1/11. SH

Keep till Secy's return from Delhi 18/12/11.

Sec'y 4 The instructions issued by the Govt of Bengal seem to be good & we may consult the 2& & the 5th Mag^tes whether similar rules may be adopted here

(1872 & Deoghar) CB 6/2/12

SH 6/2/12

5 I agree.

6 The names of retainers should I think be invariably mentioned in the License

15060 12-2-12.

KVR 10/2/12 CB SH

7 Please let me have the draft of rules prepared & then submitted here — 27/2/12 1/3/12

8 Necessary

CB 24/2/12

(Please prepare and bring up.)

24/2/12 SH

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10 If the notifications issued by the Bengal Govt. are to be adopted here, the forms nos IV & V have to be suitably altered. The Govt. of India forms nos XVI & XIX may perhaps be adopted. Some of the conditions attached to these forms are omitted in the forms now put up for adoption as the first condition is comprehensive and includes that omitted. A draft notification directing the substitution of the new forms is put up.

11 A draft order laying down rules to be adopted here is also subd.

B.G. (5791) 15-6-12. SV (11) 15/6/12

12 Recalls the "Conditions" under the licenses so as to cause a minimum of change — as previously noted.

13 The drafts may be approved. Such changes in the Conditions as will be are necessitated by adopting the Bengal rules have been made in the draft.

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14 I may however be permitted to invite attention to the fact that the rule requiring the licensee to state beforehand the names of all his retainers who shall have occasion to use a weapon may cause hardship, in out of the way places. Servants change and change frequently nowadays and there has already been complaint in the D. R. A. that the issue of licenses and their renewal by the Dt Magistrate are attended both in convenient delay. ~~Object of the rule being required to state beforehand~~

15 This inconvenience will be minimised if the power of renewal of the names of retainers be delegated to the Taluq Magistrate

16 The major point done 25/4/12

17 Submitted

18 25/4/12

19 Draft approved — Circulate to Commissioners also for approval & response 26/4/12 25/4/12 2 May 12

20 Circulate 4/5/12 4/5/12

968 29.4.12 (Reply to para 3 of the letter)

See 17. Dt Sub to Govt with reference to note 23 Feb 12.

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21 The rules & altered forms are in accordance with the presumed intention.

22 But I would respectfully suggest that this change is quite unnecessary. ~~This~~ I am very doubtful if there are many licenses of this class granted. To have names of retainers who may often change included would cause a great deal of added inconvenience, which would be justifiable only when really necessary. The matter will be made clear if we ~~obtain~~ know the number + particulars of such licenses issued in the State for 2 or 3 years past.

5/5/12

23 Please call for this up.

24 Submitted

25 Subs. with a draft.

B.S. 13-5-12

14/5/12

26

15/5/12

7/5/12

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State that no arms licenses were issued during the last three years in forms IV & V in which reliances had been included.

10 From The Dt. Magte. Kolar Dt.
no. 893-39 D/6-8-12
Forwards a statement giving the particulars required.

27 The information furnished by the Dt. Magte is summarised below:-

Licenses in form IV

District	1909			1910			1911			Remarks
	No. of licenses	No. of arms covered	No. of reliances	No. of licenses	No. of arms covered	No. of reliances	No. of licenses	No. of arms covered	No. of reliances	
Shimoga Dt.	246	329	415	256	332	412	269	350	440	(1) Information has not been furnished regarding columns left blank.
Chitaldrug Dt.	111	153		139	183		135	187		
Mysore Dt.	243	248		223	229		210	214		(2) The maximum no. of reliances for one license in the Chitaldrug Dt. is 7.
Kadur Dt.	250		308	280		352	240		298	
Tumkur Dt.	194	197	289	176	179	253	182	185	254	
Bangalore Dt.	14	16	16	16	19	22	19	23	25	(3) The Kolar Dt. has supplied information for the years 1910, 1911 & 1912 in-stead of for 1909, 1910 & 1911.
Hassan Dt.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	1910			1911			1912			
Kolar Dt.	"	"	"	1	1	1	1	1	1	

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28 From the above it will be seen that leaving out the Kolar Dt. (which, for all practical purposes, may

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as there was only one instance in 1911-12 & none in 1910.

be omitted) the no. of licenses in Form IV, in which retainers have been included, issued in the State during 1909, 1910 & 1911 is 1056, 1090 & 1055 respectively.

that is, fairly Considerable. / SA

29 Licensees in Form V

All the dlo submit a nil statement of licenses issued in this form in which retainers have been included.

30 The above information was called for at the instance of the 1st Councillor.

Subd. for orders.

BG (59) 15-9-12

SA (58) 16/9/12

SA 18/9/12

893.

Seen. 31

Submitted to 1st Councillor. with reference to his remarks in ¶ 6 of the notes.

23 25/9

32 Please note the total number of licenses from admr reports (if easely available)

SA 26/9/12

Hm

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Bill 23 28/9 27/9/12

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Subd. Copies of Govt. Proceedings reviewing the Report on the working of the Mysore Arms Regulation & the Rules thereunder for 1909, 1910 & 1911 as put up. It will be seen therefrom that the total no. of licenses issued during the 3 years was 16402, 15708 & 15773 respectively.

B.G. (S) 16/10/12

21/10/12

1025.

1/11/12

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About 1 in every 16 licenses issued is to be of this kind. The total number is however not insignificant. If the Dewan is still of opinion that the change is important — I shall have no objn to the draft being issued, though I think that there is no particular advantage therefrom.

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Subd. to Diwan.

1417 7.11.12

B.G. 6/11/12

Seen

36 Still think the matter is important — The draft initialled by the Pt Minister himself in May last & May now pine

37 Draw & submit to 1st Commissioner for perusal

11/11

38 Table to incorporate recent changes

12/11/12

14/11/12

39 Subd. A copy of the notification recently issued amending Rules 15 & 23 of the Arms Rules is put up. Condition 8 attached to licence form II is altered according to the new amendment. It is made by the late Diwan subd. that the addition to Rule 2 in the draft ordr (now proposed to be issued) may be omitted

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for the following reasons:-

(1) The addition seems to be superfluous inasmuch as the power of renewal of licenses in form IV conferred on Taluk Magistrates (by the present amendment) also applies to cases in which relaxations are included in the license.

(2) The addition seems to refer to licenses in both forms IV & V. But this does not seem to be intended as the question of renewal has no reference to licenses in form V (licenses to go armed on a journey).

B.G. (54)/19-11-12 (11)

(3) We have delegated the power of renewal only in respect of licenses under rule 15 (form IV) and the addition made by the late Dewan which refers to licenses in form V also may perhaps be omitted.

28/11/12

Sd/- 1st Councilor

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10/12/12

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	(41) The additional words may be restricted to form IV. 28/12/12 23/1/13
	(42) Please arrange to take instructions about issuing draft 23/1/12 Police
	(43) 28/12/12
	A Rec 8/3/13
11	To The Compiler, Mysore Gazette. no. J1932 07/10-1-13 Notifies the substitution of new forms IV & V
12	To Rec. Dist. Supts of Pols & the S.S.P. no. J1933-4 07/10-1-13 Issues instructions similar to those issued by the Govt of India.

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DIARY No 11259

10/11/12

SECTION: Police

Mysore Resident's Office,

Bangalore, the 8th November 1911

Letter No. 1585-1592 dated the 20/25th October 1911 from the Government of India, Home Department.

Pol No 789

8-11-11

A copy of the foregoing letter, with a copy of the enclosure, is forwarded herewith to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore for information.

First Assistant Resident.

A.G.

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No. 1585—1592.

FROM

E. M. COOK, ESQ.,
Unaer Secretary to the Government of India,

To-

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

„ CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.

„ SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED PROVINCES, JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

„ CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB.

„ CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BURMA.

„ CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM.

„ HONOURABLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCES.

„ CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

Home Department.
Judicial.

Simla, the 20th October 1911.

SIR,

I AM directed to forward, for the information of the Governor in Council / His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, your information, the marginally noted extracts* from a correspondence with the Government of Bengal regarding the inclusion of retainers in licenses issued in forms XVI and XIX of the forms in schedule VII appended to the Indian Arms Rules, 1909.

*1. Extract paragraphs 3 and 4 from Home Department letter to the Government of Bengal, no. 5239, dated the 4th November 1910.
2. Extract, paragraphs 3 to 7 from letter from the Government of Bengal, no. 5078-P., dated the 22nd August 1911, and Bengal Government's Resolution, no. 5073-P., dated the 25th August 1911.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

E. M. COOK,

Under Secretary to the Government of India.

Nos. 1593—1612.

Copy, with copy of enclosures, forwarded to

the $\frac{\text{Foreign}}{\text{Army}}$, Department
the Resident at Hyderabad
the Resident in Mysore
the Agent to the Governor General in Central India
the Agent to the Governor General in Rajputana
the Agent to the Governor General in Baluchistan
the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara
the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor General in the North-West Frontier Province
His Britannic Majesty's Consul General and Agent to the Government of India in Khorasan
His Britannic Majesty's Consul for Seistan and Kain
the Resident at Baroda
the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf
the Political Resident in Turkish Arabia
the Resident in Nepal
the Resident in Kashmir
the Inspector-General, Imperial Service Troops
the Political Officer with Sardar Ayub Khan and in charge of the ex-Amir
the Commandant, Imperial Cadet Corps
the Political Officer in Sikkim

for information.

By order,

E. M. COOK,

Under Secretary to the Government of India.

G. C. B. P., Simla.—No. 712 H. D.—23-10-11.—1,031—H.C.S.L.

Extract paragraphs 3 and 4 from Home Department letter to the Government of Bengal, no. 5239, dated the 4th November 1910.

3. I am next to refer to the case known as the "Jamtara" case, which was tried by the Sub-Divisional Officer of Jamtara, whose judgment was published in the *Englishman* of the 26th March 1910. The facts in connexion with the issue of the licenses concerned are not very clearly given, but it appears that two licenses for possession were granted. Of these—

(1) one was a license for possessing arms and going armed, issued in the name of *Nani Gopal, of Barisha*, with one *Anadi* as a "retainer". This emanated from the District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas and covered possession, etc., in that district only. It appears that in or about December 1909 Nani Gopal was residing at Benares, and Anadi in that month applied for and obtained from the District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, the renewal of the license in Nani Gopal's name with himself as a "retainer", without explaining in his petition that the latter was at the time residing at Benares; on the contrary, he stated that Nani Gopal was a resident of Barisha, and, moreover, he appears to have signed Nani Gopal's name also at the foot of the petition;

(2) the second license was also to possess arms and go armed; it covered a double-barrelled gun and was obtained, as a new license, by one Suresh Nath Pal from the office of the Magistrate of the 24-Parganas in or about December 1909, and again Anadi was entered in it as a "retainer" of Suresh Nath Pal.

Besides these two licenses, there were issued on the 19th March 1910—

(*a*) a license to go armed on a journey valid for one month, in favour ostensibly of Nani Gopal with Anadi as his "retainer"; and

(*b*) another "journey" license to the same effect, issued also on the 19th March 1910, in favour of Suresh Nath Pal with Anadi as his "retainer".

Provided with these licenses, both Anadi and Suresh Nath started on a "sporting" tour with the guns and were eventually arrested at Jamtara on suspicion, as they were found in the neighbourhood of the line by which His Excellency the Viceroy's train was to pass.

4. It will be seen from the judgment that Anadi obtained licenses (1) and (*a*) above by forging Nani Gopal's name on the application. It would perhaps be difficult for the District Magistrate's office to detect such frauds in a heavy district where licenses are numerous, but it appears that sufficient care was not taken in the matter of issuing licenses, as required by rule 10 of the Bengal (Local) Rules relating to the grant of licenses. It would seem that if due inquiry had been made in this case, it would no doubt have been noticed that a young man like Suresh Nath Pal was not a proper person to be granted a license for "retainers". It may also be questioned whether Nani Gopal himself was a person who ought to have had a license for "retainers". The provision for including "retainers" was not, I am to observe, intended to be indiscriminately used, but was intended to meet the case only of persons whose standing or circumstances were such as to make it reasonable for them to employ "retainers" or servants who would be required in the ordinary course of their duties to carry weapons. These conditions do not appear to have been fulfilled in the case of the youths arrested at Jamtara, or in that of Nani Gopal.

I am to observe in passing that the names of retainers should be invariably entered in the licenses; that changes of retainers should be similarly entered by the proper authority as they occur; and that when no retainers are licensed, the fact should be clearly indicated in column 4 of Form XVI or column 3 of Form XIX as the case may be.

Extract paragraphs 3—7 from letter from the Government of Bengal, No. 5078-P., dated the 22nd August 1911, and Bengal Government Resolution no. 5073-P., dated 25th August 1911.

3. In paragraphs 3 and 4 the Government of India discuss the case known as the Jamtara Arms Act case. Briefly stated, the facts as to the issue of the licenses in this case are as follows. Anadi Prasad Mukharji and Suresh Nath Pal when arrested at Jamtara had in their possession two breech-loading guns. Licenses for the possession of the two guns under the Arms Act were in their possession. They had also with them journey licenses, but these did not cover the district in which they were arrested—the Sonthal Parganas.

4. Both the licenses found on Anadi Prasad Mukharji were originally issued in the name of one Nani Gopal Rai Chaudhuri of Barisha. On the 17th December 1909 Anadi filed in the office of the Magistrate of the 24-Parganas a Bengali petition for the renewal of Nani Gopal Rai Chaudhuri's license for possession of a double-barrelled breech-loading gun, signing Nani Gopal's name himself in Bengali on the petition, without stating the facts that he was not himself Nani Gopal and that the latter was then living at Benares. The license was granted on this petition. This license having been lost, Anadi Nath Mukharji applied for and obtained a duplicate of the license of 18th March 1910 in Nani Gopal's name with himself as one of the retainers. The license was in Form XVI, that is, it was, as the Government of India point out, a license for possessing arms and ammunition and going armed for the purpose of sport, protection or display, and covered possession in the district of the 24-Parganas only. On the 19th March last Anadi Prasad Mukharji filed in the office of the Magistrate of the 24-Parganas an English petition for a journey license, signing on it Nani Gopal's name in English, with himself as a retainer. The license was issued to him on the same date.

5. As to the licenses found on Suresh Nath Pal, a license dated the 22nd February 1910, was issued to him from the office of the Magistrate of the 24-Parganas for possession of a double-barrelled breech-loading gun with 250 cartridges for a period of one year ending on the 31st December 1910 with Anadi Prasad Mukharji as his retainer. It was a new license as he purchased the gun second-hand from one Hari Mohan Mukharji of Barisha on the 2nd March last. This license too, was in Form XVI and was for possession of arms and ammunition and for going armed, etc., and covered possession in the 24-Parganas district only. Suresh Nath Pal filed his orginal petition for the license on 20th December 1909. On the 19th March 1910 Suresh Nath Pal applied for and obtained from the same office a journey license with Anadi as his retainer.

6. The Government of India observe that sufficient care was not exercised in the matter of the issue of the licenses to Anadi and Suresh. The Lieutenant-Governor in Council is unable to deny the justness of the criticism. As regards Nani Gopal's case, however, the Government of India themselves suggest that the errors committed were due not to any defect in the Bengal rules, which provide that an enquiry should be made as to the character of the applicant and his fitness to receive a license, but to defects in their application. The attention of the District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, has been called to the matter and the Lieutenant-Governor in Council conceives that no general instructions are required. The general question of the personal responsibility of the District Magistrate in the administration of the Arms Act is discussed below. There is, however, one matter in which an addition to the rules seems to be desirable.

7. The Government of India observe that the provision for including retainers was not intended to be used indiscriminately. That it was used without sufficient discrimination in this case must be admitted. In the Magistrate's excuse it is urged that no specific instructions have been issued on the subject. The subject had engaged the attention of Government, but

was not fully followed up. It was considered in 1908 and, in consultation with Commissioners of Divisions and the Inspector-General of Police, it was decided that the names of retainers, with such particulars as are necessary for their identification, should be endorsed on every license for possession of arms and ammunition and journey licenses, together with the nature of the weapon which each retainer is permitted to bear. A reference was made to the Government of India for the amendment of the rule on those lines, and in Mr. Duke's No. 1023 P.—D., dated 10th June 1909, draft rules embodying the proposed changes were sent up for their approval. No specific reply to this reference has been received, but this Government's proposals were apparently accepted by the Government of India, and Forms XVI and XIX (rules 27 and 30) prescribed in the new Arms Act Rules provide for their inclusion. The conditions as prescribed by the Government of India, however, do not amount to a complete set of instructions on the subject. They say that retainers may be included, but do not specify the circumstances in which such permission may be given. Nor does it appear that specific rules on the subject have been issued in any province except the United Provinces. The Lieutenant-Governor in Council has thought it desirable to remedy this defect in the rules, and I am to enclose for the information of the Government of India a copy of this Government's Resolution no. 5073-P., dated 25th August 1911 which deals with the matter. The opportunity has been taken to issue instructions regarding the two minor points of procedure referred to by the Government of India—

(*a*) That changes in the names of retainers should be entered in the license. This was suggested by the Government of Bengal in the draft rules submitted in 1909, but the Government of India did not pass orders on the point, and it is desirable to make it clear.

(*b*) That when no retainers are licensed, the fact should be stated in the form. This seems desirable to avoid fraud.

No. 5073-P.

RESOLUTION

READ—

Form No. XVI (license for the possession of arms and ammunition and for going armed for the purpose of sport, protection or display) and Form No. XIX (license for going armed on a journey in or through any province) of the forms contained in Schedule VII, Indian Arms Rules, 1909, and condition No. 2 of the conditions thereto attached, providing for the issue of licenses in such cases to cover retainers.

IT has been brought to the notice of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council that the provision for permitting the inclusion of retainers has been used by Magistrates in some cases without sufficient discrimination, and he is, accordingly, pleased to prescribe the following instructions for the guidance of Magistrates in this matter:—

(1) The provision for including retainers is intended to meet the case only of persons whose standing or circumstances are such as to make it reasonable for them to employ retainers or servants who would be required in the ordinary course of their duties to carry weapons. It should, as a rule, not be granted except in the case of gentlemen included in the Durbar lists of their respective districts.

(2) All applications for the inclusion of retainers under license in Forms XVI and XIX must be dealt with by the District Magistrate in person.

(3) If any retainer whose name is entered in a license should, during the continuance of the license, die, or be dismissed from or resign the service of the license-holder, no other person shall be entitled to possess arms or ammunition as the successor of such retainer,

unless his name, father's name, and address are entered in the license under the signature of the officer who granted the license or the successor to such officer.

(4) When no retainers are licensed the fact should be clearly indicated in column 4 of Form XVI or column 3 of Form XIX, as the case may be.

C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

G. C. B. P., Simla.—No. 712 H. D.—23-10-11.—1031.—H. C. S. L.

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File No. 135-11
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Diary No. of letter replied to

No. J 3462-9.

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Police)
, *the* 19 .

To

The D.C. Magistrate Dlo.

Date of issue 22-5-12

Signed by for S. Hirigamuwa

Has the honour to request that information regarding the No. and particulars of arms licenses issued during the last three years in his Dl in forms No. IV & V in which reclamations have been included, may be furnished for the information of Govt. at an early date.

By order

SUBJECT.

For Secretary

G.G. 135-12. 14/5/12

J 3184.

From The District Magistrate
file no 133-11
Sl. no. 3 Shimoga Dist.

To The Secy. to the Govt of
H.H. the Maharaja
of Mysore, Govt & Rev. Departments.

Dated 29 May 1912.

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Received

General No. 326

No. J. 58

Enclosure No. 1.

With reference to
No. J. 3462-9/Police 133-11-2
dated 22-5-1912. forwarding
a statement showing
the no of arms licenses
issued in this District
during the year 1909-1910
& 1911.

No. 326
J.5-8.
Encl: one.

Office of the District
Magistrate, Shimoga Dist:
Dated 29th May 1912.

From,

K. Srinivasa Rao Esqr.
District Magistrate,
Shimoga District.

To,

K. R. Srinivasaiengar Esqr. M.A.
Asst: Secretary to the Govt: of
His Highness the Maharaja
of Mysore, General &
Rev: Departments.

Sir,

In reply to your docket No. J. 3462-9 / Police 133-11-2 dated 22nd Instant, I have the honour to forward herewith a Statement Showing the number &c of arms licenses issued

issued in this District during
the years 1909-1910 & 1911 in forms
IV and V in which the
rebaimers have been included.

I have the Honor to be,
Sir
Your Most obedient Servant.

Yeraswiga Rau
Treasury Assistant Commr
For District Magistrate,
Shemoga Distt
(Absent from the Station).

21. Statement Showing the number and particu
District in forms IV and V in which retaine
1910 and 1911.

No.	Name of Taluk	Licences issued in form IV whe retainers have been included.							
		1909			1910			1911	
		Number of licences	No. of arms covered	No. of retainers included	No. of licences	No. of arms covered	No. of retainers included	No. of licences	No. of arms covered
1	Shimoga Taluk	23	26	38	23	26	37	22	26
2	Chennagiri "	11	15	24	11	15	24	10	11
3	Honnali "	20	27	42	20	27	40	20	27
4	Shikarpur "	34	41	50	36	45	53	46	57
5	Sorab "	64	78	113	69	83	118	69	83
6	Sagar "	18	21	33	18	18	28	22	25
7	Nagar "	45	74	67	48	77	71	47	78
8	Thirthahalli "	18	26	21	22	31	25	21	30
9	Kumsi Sub M. "	11	21	27	9	10	16	12	13
	Total	244	329	415	256	332	412	269	350

Shimoga
Dated 29th May 1912

lass of arms licenses issued in the Shimoga
s have been included during the years 1909—

	Licenses issued in form V wherein rebainers have been included.								
	1909			1910			1911.		
included.	No. of licenses	No. of arms	No. of rebainers	No. of licenses	No. of arms	No. of rebainers	No. of licenses	No. of arms	No. of rebainers
38									
21									
41									
72									
18									
26									
71									
25									
18									
40									

Y. Ramaswamy Rao

For Deputy Commissioner

Shimoga District.

Th 3/15 Police

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From The Dist Supt
Mysore State
Chamarajpet

To The Addl Secy to Govt
Genl & Rev Dpts
Bangalore

Dated

Despatched 15 Mar 1912

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General No. 495

No.

Enclosure No. 1

Submitting statement showing the number of applications for arms licenses received during the last 3 years

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.
Dated Chitaldrug, 29th May 1912.

J 3194

From

K. Chandy Esquire B. A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
C h i t a l d r u g.

To

K. R. Srinivasa Iyengar Esquire M. A.,
Officiating Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
B a n g a l o r e.

S I R,

With reference to your docket No. J.3462-9/Police 133-11-2 dated 22nd May 1912, calling for certain information re the number and particulars of Arms Licenses issued during the last 3 years in this District, in forms IV and V etc, I have the honor to submit herewith a statement showing the number and particulars of Arms Licenses issued during the last 3 years in which Nekaman have been included.

I have the honor to be,
S I R,
Your most obedient servant,
Ukamaiyer
Probationary Assistant Commissioner,
For Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.
(Absent from station).

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(1) Out of 111 licenses issued for 1909, 11 were new.

(2) Out of 139 issued for 1910, 13 were new.

(3) Out of 135 issued for 1911, 6 were new

Note

1. The number of Retainers mentioned or omitted in license applications of each year as it suits the convenience of applicants accounts for the variations in the number of licenses issued from year to year.

2. The maximum number of Retainers allowed for any one license is 7.

[signature]
Asst Clerk

Statement showing the number and particulars of Arms Licenses issued during the last three years in the Chitaldrug Dt.

Name of District	Year	Total number of Licenses issued in which relations have been included	Name and description of Arms.		Total number of Arms	Form number	Remarks
Chitaldrug	1909	111	Single barrelled guns	84	153	IV	1. No licenses in Form V paid in Form IV. They are mostly to Postes for protection. P.T.O.
			Double barrelled	18			
			Revolvers	15			
			Breech loading	3			
			Pistols	2			
			Swords	31			
	1910	139	Single barrelled	105	183	IV	
			Double barrelled	24			
			Revolvers	24			
			Breech loading	3			
			Pistol	1			
			Swords	26			
	1911	135	Single barrelled	108	187	IV	
			Double barrelled	24			
			Revolvers	27			
			Sword	25			
			Breech loading	3			

K. Ramaiya

Asst. Depty Commr

Particulars and particulars of arms licenses issued during the calendar years 1909, 1910, and 1911 in the Mysore District in form No. N in which returns have been included.

Years	No. of licenses issued	No. of arms covered by the licenses issued	Particulars of arms							Remarks
			Single barrel smooth bore muzzle loading guns	Double barrel smooth bore muzzle loading guns	Single barrel breech loading guns	Double barrel breech loading guns	Revolvers	Pistols	Rifles	Total
1909	243	248	207	24	...	5	10	1	1 Rook Rifle	248
1910	223	229	191	19	...	6	11	1	1 Rook Rifle	229
1911	210	214	175	16	...	7	13	2	1 Rook Rifle	214

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From

The Dy. Commr
Mysore Dt.

To

The Secy to Govt
Genl & Rev Depts.

Dated 1st June 1912

Despatched

Received

General No. 1

No. 1

Enclosure No.

Submits information re the no. and particulars of arms licenses issued ~~under~~ during 1909, 1910, & 191

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No. 1.—

Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District
Dated Mysore, 1st June 1912

From

K. Krishna Iyer Esquire
Offg. Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District

To

K. R. Srinivasa Iyengar Esq. M.A.
Offg. Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

With reference to your docket no. J. 3462-9/Police 11-2 dated 22nd May 1912, I have the honor to furnish in the margin, the information regarding the number and particulars of arms licenses issued during the last three calendar years (1909, 1910 and 1911) in the Mysore District in form no. N in which retainers have been included and to state that no licenses were issued and to state that no licenses were issued in form no. V during the last three years.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

S Krishna Iyer

for Offg: Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

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1911-12

From The Deputy Commissioner
Kodagu District

To The Secretary to Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore
Gen. & Rev. Depts.

Dated 28 March.

Despatched 2-6-1912

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General No. 415
No.

Enclosure No. One

Submitting statement of
Arms licenses in Force
IV & V from 1909-11.

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District,

Dated, Chikmagalur, the 28th May 1912.

From

A.Subramanya Iyer, Esquire, B.A.,

District Magistrate,

Kadur District.

To

K.R.Srinivasa Iyengar, Esquire, M.A.,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No. J.3462-9/Ploice 133-11-2 dated the 22nd instant calling for information regarding arms licenses issued during the three years from 1909 to 1911 in this District in Forms IV and V, I have the honor to submit herewith a statement furnishing the required information in respect of licenses issued in Form No. IV and to state that no licenses were issued in any of the said years in the District in Form No. V.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

District Magistrate,

Kadur District.

Statement showing the number and particulars of arms licenses issued during the three years from 1909 to 1911 in the Kaduna District, in form No IV.

Serial No	Years.	Total No of licenses issued in each year	No of licenses in which retainers have been included.	Description of arms for which Licenses were issued.					Total No of retained included in the licenses issued.	Remarks.
				Single barrelled gun	Double barrelled gun	Revolver or Pistols.	Swords	Stilts.		
1	1909	3966	250	3681	502	38	3	1	308	
2	1910	3929	280	3702	400	60	3	1	352	
3	1911	3848	240	3736	360	50	2	1	298	

Dated 27th May 1912
Chukun Salaw

Dr Meinertzhagen
For District magistrate
Kaduna District

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From

The District Magistrate,

Tumkur District.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of
Mysore, Gen. and Rev. Depts,

B A N G A L O R E

Dated 1st June 1912

Despatched 4th June 1912

Received

General No. 565.
No.

Enclosure No. One

Forwards a statement showing the number and particulars of Arms Licenses issued during the last three years in the form Nos IV and V

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Office of the District Magistrate

Tumkur District,

Dated Tumkur 1st/4th June 1912

From

M. Shama Rao Esq., M.A.,

District Magistrate

Tumkur District.

To

K.R. Sreenivasa Iyengar Esq., M.A.,

Offg: Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

General and Revenue Departments,

Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to your docket No J 3462-9 / Police 133-11-2 dated the 22nd ~~instant~~ ultimo calling for information regarding the number and particulars of Arms Licenses issued during the last three years in Forms Nos IV and V in which retainers have been included , I have the honour to state that no licenses were issued in this District in Form No V during the last three years . A statement showing the number and particulars of licences ~~sed~~ issued during the last three years in form No IV in which retainers have been included is forwarded herewith as requested.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Marasimghambrmaya

Treasury Assistant Commissioner

For District Magistrate

absent from Station.

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Statement shewing the Number and particulars of Arms Licenses issued during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911 in the Tamale District in form No IV in which Retainers have been included

Year.	Number of Licenses issued.	Number of retainers.	Particulars of Arms					
			Single barrelled guns.	Double barrelled guns.	Revolvers and Pistols.	Breech loaders.	Swords.	Total
1909	194	289	162	22	7	5	1	197
1910	176	253	148	21	5	4	1	179
1911	182	254	153	21	5	5	1	185

District Magistrate's Office,
Tamale District,
Dated 1st June 1912.

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Hanmer Hambrough
For District Magistrate
Tamale District

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From The District Magistrate,
Bangalore District 33-11
file no. 8

To The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
Genl & Rev: Departments
Bangalore

Dated 7th
Despatched 10th } June 1912
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General No.
S. No. 441
Enclosure No. 2

Secy's No. J3462-9 dated
Police 133-11-2
22nd May 1912.

Forwards two statements in Forms IV and V of the Arms Licenses with particulars as called for. —

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.
Dated Bangalore, 7th June 1912.

S. No. 447
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From

B.J.Kumaraswami Naik Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

To

K.R.Sreenivasa Iyengar Esq., M.A.,
Offg: Secretary to the Government of H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore, Genl and Rev.Deptts.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No.J.3462-9/Police 133-11-2 dated 22nd May 1912, I have the honor to forward herewith, two statements in forms Nos.IV and V of the arms licenses with particulars as called for in the above.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Deputy Commissioner.

Statement showing particulars of Arms licenses issued during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911 in this District in Form No. IV in which retainers have been included.

Years	No. of arms licenses including retainers	No. of retainers	Arms		Remarks, if any
			Guns single or double barrelled	Revolvers	
1909 —	14	16	13	3	
1910	16	22	15	4	
1911.	19	25	19	4.	

District Magistrate's Office
Bangalore District.
Dated 7th June 1912

District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

Statement showing particulars of Arms licenses issued during the years 1909, 1910 and 1911 in this District in form No. V in which returns have been included

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Nil

District Magistrate's Office
Bangalore District.
Dated 7th June 1912

District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

FROM P.R.W. Wetherall Esquire,

District Magistrate,

Hassan District.

To K.R. Sreenivasa Iyengar Esquire, M.A.
Offg. Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of
General and Revenue Department
BANGALORE.

Dated 2nd July 1912.

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General No. 3

No. 8

Enclosure No. Nil

SUBJECT.

Reporting that no Arms licenses were issued during the last three years in Hassan District in Forms IV and V in which retainers had been mentioned.

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Deputy Commissioner's Office,

Hassan District.

Dated Hassan the 2nd July 1912.

From,

P.R.W.Wetherall Esquire,

District Magistrate;,

Hassan District.

To,

K.R.Sreenivasa Iyengar Esquire,M.A.,

Offg.Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

General and Revenue Departments,

B A N G A L O R E.

Sir,

In reply to your docket No. J 3462-9 dated 22nd. May 1912, I have the honor to state that no Arms licenses were issued during the last three years in this District, in forms IV and V, in which no retainers have been included.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

P.R.W.Wetherall

District Magistrate.

Hassan District

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From The Offg. District Magistrate,
File Kolar District.

To The Offg. Secretary to the Govt.
of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore

Dated 6.8.1912. Gen.& Rev. Dept.
Despatched Bangalore

Received

General No. 893
No. 39

Enclosure No. 1

Forwarded a Statement showing the number and particulars of arms licenses issued during the last three years in this District.

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Office of the District Magistrate,
Kolar District.

Dated Kolar, 6th August 1912.

From

P. F. Bowring, Esquire,
Offg. District Magistrate,
Kolar District

To

K. R. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esquire, M.A.,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of His
Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a statement showing the number and particulars of arms licenses issued during the last three years in this district in forms Nos. IV and V in which returns have been included, as called for in your

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docket no. J 2462-9/Police 133-11-2 dated

22nd May 1912.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. D. [illegible]

The Deputy Assistant Commissioner

for Offg: District Magistrate,

Kolar District.

(Absent from the Station)

Statement showing the number and particulars of arms licenses issued during the last three years in the Kolar Dist in form Nos. IV and V in which retainers have been included.

Particulars of Forms.	Name of licenseholder.	Name of retainers	1910		1911		1912.		Remarks.
			No	Particulars of arms	No	Particulars of arms	No	Particulars of arms.	
Form No IV	H E Abdul Rahiman Contractor, Chintamani	Ajimohadin Sahib	-	-	1	Revolver	1	Revolver	license No. 79
Form No V	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

A. D. — Treasury Deputy Commr Supdt. Govt. Arms Mapks
For District Magistrate
Kolar. District
Absent from station

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Notification

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Police 133-11
Sl. no. XII

No. J1932 D/ 10-1-13.

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The govt. of H.H. the Maharaja are pleased to direct that the annexed forms be substituted for licence forms nos. IV & V appended to the ~~Import~~ ~~Arms~~ Rules under the Import Arms Rules, published with notification no. J1782 - Police Misc 65 dated the 26th December 1903.

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By Order

For Secretary

To
The Compiler Import Gazette
for publication in Part III
of the Gazette with the request
that 200 spare copies may
be supplied to this office.

B.G.
(S) 15-6-12

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Form No. IV.

(Vide rule 15)

Fee - Four annas for each weapon, payable in stamps.

License to possess arms or ammunition and to go armed for purposes of sport, protection or display.

1	2	3		4					5	6
Serial number of license	Name of licensed holder with particulars of residence.	Arms or ammunition that licensee is entitled to possess		Retainers (if any) covered by the license.					District or place within which the license is valid	Date on which the license expires.
		Description	Quantity	Name of retainer	Name of retainer's father	Address of retainer	Arms or ammunition that retainer is entitled to possess: Description	Arms or ammunition that retainer is entitled to possess: Quantity		

_____ Seal (Signature)

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Form of renewing the license.

Date & year of renewal	Date on which the renewed license expires	Signature of Magistrate

Conditions.

1. The license is granted subject to the provisions of the Mysore Arms Regulation 1890 and the rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such retainers (if any) as may be entered in column 4 .

3. It extends only to the place or district named therein, unless countersigned for other districts or the whole of the Mysore State by the Secretary to Government, General ~~and Revenue~~ Department, or other officer authorised to countersign.

4. It authorises the holder or persons acting under it to go armed within the place or district named for bona fide prosecution of the purpose named on the license; but, unless specially authorised by the Magistrate, it does not permit the holder or persons aforesaid to go armed in Railway carriages or to fairs, religious processions or other public assemblages.

5. The license holder, when purchasing any new arms or ammunition, shall have the following particulars endorsed upon his license under the vendor's signature:-

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(2) the nature and quantity of the articles purchased;

(3) the date of purchase.

6. If any weapon covered by this license is lost or stolen, the license holder shall at once give notice of the fact to the nearest police station.

N.B. - This condition may be omitted at the discretion of the Government.

7. The special attention of the license holder is drawn to the following sections of the Regulation:-

Section 8 - No persons shall go armed with any arms, except under a license and to the extent and in the manner permitted thereby.

thereby.

Any person so going armed without a license, or in contravention of its provisions, may be disarmed by any Magistrate, police officer or other person empowered by the Government of Mysore in this behalf by name or by virtue of his office.

Section 14.- Whoever commits any of the following ~~officers~~ offences (namely) -

x x x x x

(d) goes armed in contravention of the provisions of section 8;

(e) has in his possession or under his control any arms, ammunition or military stores in contravention of the provisions of section 9 or section 10;

x x x x x

(h) fails to deposit arms, ammunition or military stores , as required by section 11, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to 3 years, or with fine or with both.

8. This license expired on 31st December of the year or of the last year of the period as the case may be for which it is issued. The license holder can have it renewed by filing an application for its renewal on stamped paper of the prescribed value.

9. This license does not empower the holder to emplpy fire arms in the pursuit of game, for which a separate license under the Mysore Game Regulation and rules is necessary, In addition to conforming to the said Regulation and Rules, the license holder is also bound to observe a close season, as prescribed by the Government, in respect of the undermentioned animals and birds which do no injury to men , cattle or crops:-

Specification of animals or birds	Close season

Form V 3,

(Vide Rule 16)

Fee - Four annas for each weapon, payable in stamps.

License to go armed on a journey.

1	2		3					4	5	6
Name &c of license holder with particulars of his residence	Arms & Ammunition covered by the license.		Retainers (if any) covered by the license					Place of departure, route and destination of journey.	Time which journey will probably take	Period for which the license is valid.
	Description	Quantity	Name of retainer	Name of retainer's father	Address of retainer	Description	Quantity			

_____ Seal (Signature)

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Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of -- the Mysore Arms Regulation,1890 and the rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such retainers (if any) as may be entered in column 3.

3. It is void after the expiration of the period named --- therein.

4. It does not permit holders to go armed in Railway carriages, or to fairs, religious processions or other public assemblages.

5. The license holder shall, at the time of purchase, have the following particulars endorsed upon his license by the - vendor from whom he purchases and under the vendor's signature:-

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(2) the nature and quantity of the articles purchased;

(3) the date of purchase.

NOTIFICATION.

No. J. 1932—*Police* 133-11-11, *dated* 10*th January* 1913.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to direct that the annexed forms be substituted for license Forms Nos. IV and V appended to the Rules under the Mysore Arms Regulation published with Notification No. J. 1782—Pol. Mis. 65, dated the 26th December 1905.

By Order,
K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,
Officiating Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments.

Form No. IV.

(*Vide* Rule 15.)

Fee—Four annas for each weapon, payable in stamps.

License to possess arms or ammunition and to go armed for purposes of sport, protection or display.

1	2	3		4					5	6
Serial number of license	Name of license-holder with particulars of residence	Arms or ammunition that licensee is entitled to possess		Retainers (if any) covered by the license					District or place within which the license is valid	Date on which the license expires
		Description	Quantity	Name of retainer	Name of retainer's father	Address of retainer	Arms or ammunition that retainer is entitled to possess: Description	Arms or ammunition that retainer is entitled to possess: Quantity		

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(Signature)

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Form of renewing the license.

Date and year of renewal	Date on which the renewed license expires	Signature of Magistrate

CONDITIONS.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Mysore Arms Regulation, 1890, and the Rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such retainers (if any) as may be entered in column 4.

3. It extends only to the place or district named therein, unless countersigned for other districts or the whole of the Mysore State by the Secretary to Government, General Department, or other officer authorised to countersign.

4. It authorises the holder or persons acting under it to go armed within the place or district named for *bona fide* prosecution of the purpose named on the license; but, unless specially authorised by the Magistrate, it does not permit the holder or persons aforesaid to go armed in Railway carriages or to fairs, religious processions or other public assemblages.

5. The license-holder, when purchasing any new arms or ammunition, shall have the following particulars endorsed upon his license under the vendor's signature :—

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(2) the nature and quantity of the articles purchased;

(3) the date of purchase.

6. If any weapon covered by this license is lost or stolen, the license-holder shall at once give notice of the fact to the nearest police station.

N. B.—This condition may be omitted at the discretion of the Government.

7. The special attention of the license-holder is drawn to the following sections of the Regulation :—

Section 8.—No persons shall go armed with any arms, except under a license and to the extent and in the manner permitted thereby.

Any person so going armed without a license, or in contravention of its provisions, may be disarmed by any Magistrate, police officer or other person empowered by the Government of Mysore in this behalf by name or by virtue of his office.

Section 14.—Whoever commits any of the following offences (namely)—

* * * * *

(*d*) goes armed in contravention of the provisions of Section 8;

(*e*) has in his possession or under his control any arms, ammunition or military stores in contravention of the provisions of Section 9 or Section 10;

* * * * *

(*h*) fails to deposit arms, ammunition or military stores, as required by Section 11, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine or with both.

8. This license expires on 31st December of the year or of the last year of the period as the case may be for which it is issued. The license-holder can have it renewed by filing an application for its renewal on stamped paper of the prescribed value.

9. This license does not empower the holder to employ fire arms in the pursuit of game, for which a separate license under the Mysore Game Regulation and Rules is necessary. In addition to conforming to the said Regulation and Rules, the license-holder is also bound to observe a close season, as prescribed by the Government, in respect of the undermentioned animals and birds which do no injury to men, cattle or crops :—

Specification of animals or birds	Close season
.....	.....
.....	.....

Form V.

(*Vide* Rule 16.)

Fee—Four annas for each weapon, payable in stamps.

License to go armed on a journey.

1	2		3					4	5	6
Name, etc., of license-holder with particulars of his residence	Arms and ammunition covered by the license		Retainers (if any) covered by the license					Place of departure, route and destination of journey	Time which journey will probably take	Period for which the license is valid
	Description	Quantity	Name of retainer	Name of retainer's father	Address of retainer	Arms and ammunition that retainer is entitled to carry				
						Description	Quantity			

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The.....191 Seal (Signature)

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CONDITIONS.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Mysore Arms Regulation, 1890, and the Rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such retainers (if any) as may be entered in column 3.

3. It is void after the expiration of the period named therein.

4. It does not permit holders to go armed in railway carriages, or to fairs, religious processions or other public assemblages.

5. The license-holder shall, at the time of purchase, have the following particulars endorsed upon his license by the vendor from whom he purchases and under the vendor's signature :—

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased ;

(2) the nature and quantity of the articles purchased ;

(3) the date of purchase.

By Order,

K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,

Officiating Secretary to Government,

General and Revenue Departments.

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ORDER ~~THEREON.~~—No. J 1933-4.

Endeavour

With a view to secure

Control possession

better check over the ~~licensing~~ of firearms held by householders

~~of~~ retainers in arms licenses,

~~forms nos. IV & V appended~~

~~to the Imperial Arms Rules,~~

over.

SUBJECT.

GPB—10,000-20-9-10

Govt are pleased to direct that the amended forms be substituted for the forms IV & V appended to the rules, and to lay down the following rules for the guidance of magistrates in this matter:-

Rules

(1) The provision for including retainers is intended to meet the case only of persons whose standing or circumstances are such as to make it reasonable for them to employ retainers or servants who would be required in the ordinary course of their duties to carry weapons.

(2) All applications for the inclusion of retainers names in licences in forms IV & V must be dealt with by the D.C. Magistrate in person - The power of renewing

(3) If any retainer whose name is entered in a licence

under Mysore Arms Rules published with Notification no J 1782 - Police dated 26th Dec 1965

the names of retainers in Form IV may be renewed by delegated by District Magistrates & Assistants.

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(*Continuation Sheet draft form.*)

should, during the continuance of the license, die, or be dismissed from or resign the service of the licensee holder, no other person shall be entitled to possess arms or ammunition as the successor of such retainer, unless his name, father's name, and address are entered in the license under the signature of the officer who granted the license or the successor to such officer.

(4) When no retainers are licensed the fact should be clearly indicated in column ~~6 of form IV~~ or ~~column 3 of form V~~, as the case may be.

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For Secretary

To

The Deputy Inspector General of Police in Imperial Council.

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Form IV

(Vide Rule 15)

Fee — Four annas for each weapon, payable in stamps.

License to possess arms or ammunition and to go armed for purposes of sport, protection or display.

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Serial number of license.	Name of license holder with particulars of residence.	Arms or ammunition that license is entitled to possess.		Relaxations (if any) covered by the license					District or place within which the license is valid.	Date on which the license expires.
		Description.	Quantity.	Name of relaxation.	Name of relaxation for life.	Address of relaxation.	Arms or ammunition that relaxation is entitled to possess. Description.	Quantity.		

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Form of renewing the license.

Date of your renewal.	Date on which the renewed license expires.	Signature of magistrate.

Conditions

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Import Arms Regulation 1890 and the rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such retainers (if any) as may be entered in column 4

3. It extends only to the place or district named therein, unless countersigned for other districts or the whole of the Import State by the Secy. to Govt., General Dept., or other officer authorised to countersign.

4. It authorises the holder or persons acting under it to so armed within the place or district named for bona fide prosecution of the purpose named on the license; but, unless specially authorised by the magistrate, it does not permit the holder or persons aforesaid to so armed in railway carriages, or libraries, religious processions, or other public assemblages.

5. The license holder, when purchasing any new arms or ammunition, shall have the following particulars endorsed upon his license under the number of application:-

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(2) the nature & quantity of the articles purchased;

(3) the date of purchase.

6. If any weapon covered by this license is lost or stolen, the license holder shall at once give notice of the fact to the nearest police Station.

N.B. — This condition may be omitted at the discretion of the Govt.

7. The special attention of the license holder is drawn to ~~[illegible]~~ the following sections of the Regulation :-

Section 8 - No person shall go armed with any arms except under a license and to the extent & in the manner permitted thereby.

Any person so going armed without a license, or in contravention of its provisions, may be disarmed by any Magistr, police Officer or other person empowered by the Govt. of Mysore in that behalf by name or by virtue of his office.

Section 14.- Whoever commits any of the following offences (namely) -

(d) goes armed in contravention of the provisions of section 8;

(e) has in his possession or under his control any arms, ammunition or military stores in contravention of the provisions of section 9 or section 10;

(h) fails to deposit arms, ammunition or military stores, as required by section 11,

shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to 3 years, or with fine or with both.

8. This license expires on 31st December of the year or of the last year of the period, as the case may be, for which it is issued. The license holder can have it renewed by filing an application for its renewal on stamped paper of the prescribed value.

9. This license does not empower the holder to employ fire arms in the pursuit of game, for which a separate license under the Mysore Game Regulation and Rules is necessary. In addition to conforming to the said Regulation & Rules, the license holder is also bound to observe a close season, as prescribed by the Govt., in respect of the undermentioned animals & birds, which do not injure men, cattle or crops :-

Specification of animals or birds. close season

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Form V

(Vide Rule 16)

Fee - Four annas for each weapon, payable in stamps.

License to go armed on a journey.

1	2		3					4	5	6
Name &c. of licensee - holder with particulars of his residence.	Arms and ammunition covered by the license		Retainers (if any) covered by the license					Place of departure, route and destination of journey.	Time which journey will probably take.	Period for which the license is valid.
	Description.	Quantity.	Name of retainer.	Name & relation to master.	Address of retainer.	Arms & ammunition that retainer is entitled to carry. Description.	Quantity.			

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Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Upper Arms Regulation, 1890 and the Rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such relatives (if any) as may be entered in column 3.

3. It is void after the expiration of the period named therein.

4. It does not permit holder to go armed in railway carriage, or to fairs, religious processions or other public assemblage.

5. The license holder shall, at the time of purchase, have the following particulars endorsed upon his license by the vendor from whom he purchases and under the vendor's signature :—

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(2) the nature and quantity of the articles purchased;

(3) the date of purchase.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

No. J. 1933-41—Police 133-11-12, dated Bangalore, 10th January 1913.

Order.—With a view to ensure better control over the possession of fire arms by retainers of license-holders, Government are pleased to direct that the annexed forms be substituted for the Forms IV and V appended to the Rules under the Mysore Arms Regulation published with Notification No. J. 1782—Police Mis. 65, dated 26th December 1905, and to lay down the following rules for the guidance of Magistrates in this matter.

RULES.

1. The provision for including retainers is intended to meet the case only of persons whose standing or circumstances are such as to make it reasonable for them to employ retainers or servants who would be required in the ordinary course of their duties to carry weapons.

2. All applications for the inclusion of retainers under licenses in Forms IV and V must be dealt with by the District Magistrates in person. The power of renewing the names of retainers in Form IV may be delegated by the District Magistrates to Amildars.

3. If any retainer whose name is entered in a license should, during the continuance of the license, die, or be dismissed from or resign the service of the license-holder, no other person shall be entitled to possess arms or ammunition as the successor of such retainer, unless his name, father's name and address are entered in the license under the signature of the officer who granted the license or the successor to such officer.

4. When no retainers are licensed the fact should be clearly indicated in column 4 of the new Form IV or column 3 of the new Form V as the case may be.

K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The District Magistrates of Districts.
The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

Form No. IV.
(*Vide* Rule 15.)

Fee—Four annas for each weapon, payable in stamps.

License to possess arms or ammunition and to go armed for purposes of sport, protection or display.

Serial number of license	Name of license-holder with particulars of residence	Arms or ammunition that licensee is entitled to possess		Retainers (if any) covered by the license					District or place within which the license is valid	Date on which the license expires
		Description	Quantity	Name of retainer	Name of retainer's father	Address of retainer	Arms or ammunition that retainer is entitled to possess: Description	Arms or ammunition that retainer is entitled to possess: Quantity		
1	2	3		4					5	6

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Form of renewing the license.

Date and year of renewal	Date on which the renewed license expires	Signature of Magistrate

CONDITIONS.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Mysore Arms Regulation, 1890, and the rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such retainers (if any) as may be entered in column 4.

3. It extends only to the place or district named therein, unless countersigned for other districts or the whole of the Mysore State by the Secretary to Government, General Department, or other officer authorized to countersign.

4. It authorises the holder or persons acting under it to go armed within the place or district named for *bona fide* prosecution of the purpose named on the license; but, unless specially authorised by the Magistrate, it does not permit the holder or persons aforesaid to go armed in railway carriages or to fairs, religious processions or other public assemblages.

5. The license-holder, when purchasing any new arms or ammunition, shall have the following particulars endorsed upon his license under the vendor's signature:—

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;
(2) the nature and quantity of the articles purchased;
(3) the date of purchase.

6. If any weapon covered by this license is lost or stolen, the license-holder shall at once give notice of the fact to the nearest Police Station.

N. B.— This condition may be omitted at the discretion of the Government.

7. The special attention of the license-holder is drawn to the following sections of the Regulation:—

Section 8.—No person shall go armed with any arms, except under a license and to the extent and in the manner permitted thereby.

Any person so going armed without a license, or in contravention of its provisions, may be disarmed by any Magistrate, Police officer or other person empowered by the Government of Mysore in this behalf by name or by virtue of his office.

Section 14.—Whoever commits any of the following offences (namely)—

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(*d*) goes armed in contravention of the provisions of Section 8;

(*e*) has in his possession or under his control any arms, ammunition or military stores in contravention of the provisions of Section 9 or Section 10;

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(*h*) fails to deposit arms, ammunition or military stores, as required by Section 11, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine or with both.

8. This license expires on 31st December of the year or of the last year of the period as the case may be for which it is issued. The license-holder can have it renewed by filing an application for its renewal on stamped paper of the prescribed value.

9. This license does not empower the holder to employ fire arms in the pursuit of game, for which a separate license under the Mysore Game Regulation and rules is necessary. In addition to conforming to the said Regulation and Rules, the license-holder is also bound to observe a close season, as prescribed by the Government, in respect of the undermentioned animals and birds which do no injury to men, cattle or crops:—

Specification of animals or birds	Close season

Judicial and Legislative (Police), dated 10th January 1913.

Form No. V.

(*Vide* Rule 16.)

Fee—Four annas for each weapon payable in stamps. license to go armed on a journey.

Name, etc., of license-holder with particulars of his residence	Arms and ammunition coverd by the license		Retainers (if any) covered by the license					Place of departure, route and destination of journey	Time which journey will probably take	Period for which the license is valid
	Description	Quantity	Name of retainer	Name of retainer's father	Address of retainer	Arms and ammunition that retainer is entitled to carry: Description	Arms and ammunition that retainer is entitled to carry: Quantity			
1	2		3					4	5	6

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CONDITIONS.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Mysore Arms Regulation, 1890, and the rules framed thereunder.

2. It covers only the persons named and the arms and ammunition described therein and such retainers (if any) as may be entered in column 3.

3. It is void after the expiration of the period named therein.

4. It does not permit holders to go armed in railway carriages, or to fairs, religious processions or other public assemblages.

5. The license-holder shall, at the time of purchase, have the following particulars endorsed upon his license by the vendor from whom he purchases and under the vendor's signature:—

(1) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(2) the nature and quantity of the articles purchased;

(3) the date of purchase.

Exd.—C. R.